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Mathematics Section

Dr. AMELCHOR, fnu

Professor THIESSEN Group

Professor THIESSEN

Dr. KRICKER, fnu

- Deputy Director of the Institute.

Dipl. Ing. ZIEHL, fnu

- Dentist

Karl MELCHER, fnu

occ: Engineer

Kurt HEPPNER

- Chemist

Dr. WITTSTADT, fnu

Ing. FRANKE, fna

Mechanic Kurt PANTEN

Wolfgang SROGGE

Ing. HEPP, fnu

Dr. SIEWERT

Laboratory Assistant Heinz EULEN

Fraulein THIESSEN

SCHWEIKE, fnu

Dr. STEENBECK Group (House 'E')

Dr. STEENBECK

Fraulein von BERGEN, Secretary

Dr. ZIPPE, fnu

Dr. STEUDEL, fpu

Professor ANDREYEV and wife

Mechanic Hans BOETEL

Electrician Werner SCHMIDT

Laboratory Assistant Werner GIESERREICH

Mechanic Hans FLOREK

Laboratory Assistant (Fraulein) SHROTTKE

(Ing.) Waldemar MELZ

Ing. ZAVADIL

occ: Engineers

PART IV - APPENDICES

Annexe 'A' - Sketch of clamping cone made at SINOP Institute.

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(ii) Russian Visitors to the Institute

Informant was particularly vague on this point. He stated that from time to time commissions visited the Institute but he was unable to recall the names of any of the personalities involved.

Organisation of the Institute at SINOP.

Informant gave the following details of the personalities at SINOP:-

von ARDENNE Group

(i) Biological Section

Baron Manfred von ARDENNE  
Frau SUCHLAND - Secretary  
Dr. MENCKE - Biologist  
Dr. Guenther FUCHS, Biologist  
Electrician Horst SCHROEDER  
Dr. Willi HOHORST *occ: Biologist?*  
Dr. PANI (Austrian) *CIT: AUST*  
Fraulein Renate von ARDENNE  
Fraulein ZABEL

(ii) Electrical Section

Dr. Ing. Ernst APITSCH *occ: Engineer*  
Dr. Ing. ROMSTEDT *occ: Engineer*  
Electrician Willi SCHROEDER  
" Willi HOEFS  
Mechanic Ludwig WETZLER  
" Heinz WINTER (informant)  
" Hermann GEHRI  
Electrician Helmut BAIER  
" Helmut PORRATH  
" Kurt FLIEGER, Armature Winder

(iii) Technical Drawing Office

Ing. Gerhardt JAEGER *occ: Engineer*  
Ing. Adolf FISCHER *occ: Engineer*  
Ing. Hans SCHLESING  
Frl. Nanni MUELLER  
REIBEDANZ, fnu.

(iv) Mechanical Workshop

Mechanic ROGGENBRUCK, fnu  
" Heinz KUDICKE  
" Hans RICHTER  
Turner Kurt JAKOB  
Mechanic KLEIN, fnu.  
" Ernst KOEHLER

(v) High Frequency Section

Dr. Gotthard MUELLER  
Ing. Heinz MOTTAU  
Ing. Kurt KETTNER  
Radio Technician Heinz WEBER  
Mechanic Erwin SUCHKOW  
Ing. NEUREUTER, fnu.  
Mechanic Paul FLALKOWSKI  
Dipl. Ing. PHOBA, fnu.

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KOERBER, fnu.  
Glass Blower LORENZ, fnu.  
Herbert BECKER  
Mechanic TREFF, fnu.

(vi) Library

(Frau) LANGSDORFF

(vii) Ceramic Section

(Dr.) Hans LEHMANN  
(Ing.) Willi SCHULTE-WERFLINGHOFF  
Russian female - name unknown

occ: Engineer

(viii) Electro Magnet Section - (House 'D')

(Dr.) BROEHLICH, fnu.  
(Ing.) SCHMAL, fnu. *Engineer*  
(Dr.) UERLINGS, fnu. - Mathematician  
Locksmith Heinz FRANKE  
Locksmith POTTMAIER, fnu  
Locksmith Artur FRANCK  
Mechanic Hubert WEISE

(ix) Chemical Laboratory

(Dr.) GRAMBERG, fnu  
(Dr.) Heinz MOEHR  
(Dr.) RINTELN  
(Lab. Assistant) Eduard SCHMITZ  
(Frl.) DEVRIENT

occ: Chemist?

(x) Special Section (on which informant was unable to elaborate)

DEMICHANOV, fnu.  
Watchmaker Fritz SCHULZ  
(Ing.) Kurt BEIER. *Engineer*

(xi) Glass Blowing Section

Master glass blower Werner SIGHTLING  
Glass blower Otto RAUCH  
" " Alfred MUELLER  
" " Alfred SCHNEIDER  
" " FUCHSEL, fnu (employed specially by  
Manfred von ARDENNE)

(xii) Photographical Section

Ludwig BUSCHHUETTER  
Hans DIETWALD  
(Frl.) MUELLER, fnu.

(xiii) "Geheimsekretariat"

Informant was unable to recall any names of the Russian personalities in this section. He stated, however, that (Dr. Ing.) Heinz MELUN was the link between the "Geheimsekretariat" and Herr BERGENGRUEN. The latter was responsible for the despatch of all correspondence. Both Frau Felicitas JAHN and Frau SCHROTTKE worked in this section.

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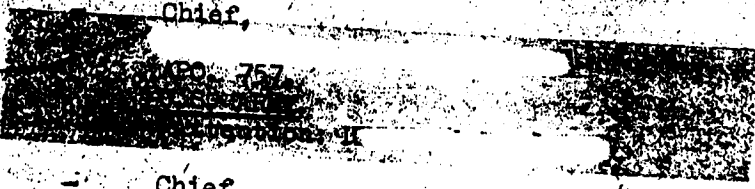
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HEINZ WINTER

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PART I.

(i) Details of Informant:

Name:	Heinz WINTER
Date and Place of Birth:	8. 1.1923 at KIERSPE, Westfalen.
Profession:	Toolmaker
Address:	KIERSPE/Westfalen am NOCKEN 47.
Career:	1929-1937 Informant attended Volksschule in KIERSPE. 1937-1942 Informant was apprenticed as tool maker in KIERSPE. 1942-1944 Informant was called to the colours and served with the 10th Fliegerkorps, 32nd Regiment. He served in France, Holland and Russia and was captured in Bessarabia on the 20th August, 1944. Informant was in hospital in Rumania. 1944-1946 Nov. 1946 to Nov. 1949 Informant was employed in the Institute at SINOP in the electrical workshop controlled by Dr. APITSCH. Nov. 1949 to Nov. 1953 Informant went progressively from KARAGANDA to BOROVICHI, KIEV and VOROSHILOVGRAD, from which latter place he was finally repatriated in November 1953.

(ii) Evaluation

Heinz WINTER was fairly intelligent and appeared reliable. His information was, however, very sparse due in his own words to his lack of access to the Institute as a whole.

PART II - REPORT

SUKHUMI Institute - Organisation and Personalities

Informant stated that during his sojourn at SINOP he worked as an electrical mechanic in Dr. APITSCH's workshop in the main building. He was mainly employed on producing switch boards, automatic switches, relays and high tension switch boards, etc. to the order of Dr. APITSCH.

Informant was never concerned with the mounting of any of this equipment in House 'D'. He recalled, however, that on one occasion he made a piece of copper piping for von ARDENNE. This was about 50 cm. long and the wall thickness was about 1.5 to 2 mm. This had been bent almost semi-circular in shape. The centre piece was then hammered flat leaving both ends open. The rounded ends were about 10 cm. in length. During practically the whole of 1949 informant was engaged on producing small electrical fittings required for lathes and other equipment in the Institute.

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In September 1949, informant also made a number of clamping cones. These were made according to the design developed by Dr. STEENBECK and were ordered specifically by Dr. STEENBECK. The cone consisted of one metal section about 12 cm in length and 6 mm in diameter which fitted another metal section about 8 mm in length and about 6 mm in diameter. A piece of strong silver steel (Silberstahl) wire ran through the center and a small weight was suspended from the bottom. Informant had no idea what purpose these cones were required.

When informant arrived at the Institute in 1949, the laboratories had all been fitted out but work had not yet commenced in the Institute. According to informant, the laboratories started operating in December 1946, whilst House 'D' started to function in February, 1947. So far as he could recall, the research work in the Institute reached its peak in April 1949, as by this time the Institute had been fully equipped and all provisional makeshift equipment had been replaced.

Russian Personalities Encountered at SINOP

(i) Russians permanently in residence

~~KOTSCHLASWASCHWILI~~  
General KOTSCHLASWASCHWILLI, who was in charge of both Institutes at SINOP and AGUSERA.

GREGORIAN, fnu

Scientist who had his own laboratory and a Russian female assistant whose name he had forgotten.

BUORDASWILAY, fnu

Chemist. He worked with Dr. SIEGLER and had a Russian female assistant, name forgotten.

Gregor WASWILY

Scientist.

SHEORCHOW, fnu

MVD Interpreter.

Lt. MALETIN, fnu

MVD Interpreter.

Col. RASWIN

Deputy to General KOTSCHLASWASCHWILLI. He left the Institute towards the end of 1947 and was replaced by Col. TOPOLIN. Later in KARAGANDA in January 1950 informant was told by Dr. Herbert BECKER that he had encountered Col. RASWIN at the Institute where the JUNG Group had been in CHELYABINSK.

ANDREYEV, fnu

Chemist or physicist who worked with Dr. STEENBECK. He was accompanied by his wife who was also a scientist.

LEVSCHENKOV, fnu

Interpreter employed with the Geheim Sekretariat.

Major Ivan IVANOVITCH?

Very seldom seen in uniform. Member of MVD.

DEMICHANOV, fnu

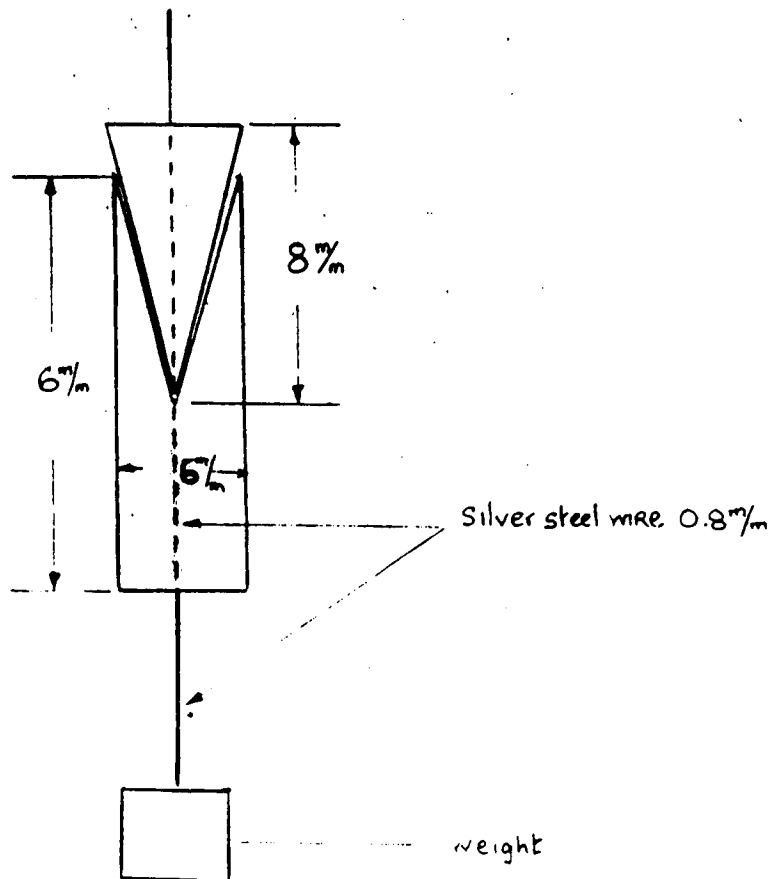
Worked in a special section of the Institute about which informant was unable to supply any salient details.

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Sketch of clamping cone produced  
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